Defence aircratfs used by VIPs

*7. SHRI M.A. BABY: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the Union Ministers and other VIPs who have used aircrafts belonging to his Ministry for official other purposes during the last two years;

(b) the details thereof and the amount overdue to his Ministry from each of the users; and

(c) the status of recovery of the charges from each user, the period since when the amount is overdue, the reasons for delay in recovery and steps taken/proposed to be taken for realisation of the overdue amount without further delay?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MULAYAM SINGH YADAV): (a) to (c) The President, the Vice-President, the Prime Minister and Raksha Mantri/Raksha Rajya Mantri are entitled to use VIP flights of the IAF for discharge of their official duties. The other Central Ministers and also the foreign Heads of States can make use of these flights, subject to availability, on payment basis. Details of users are being maintained agency-wise and not in the name of individual Ministers/VIPs. A Statement indicating the amounts due from the Union Ministries/Departments as on 29th March, 1996 is placed on the Table of the House (*See* below). An amount of Rs. 101.4 Crores has been realised in 1995-96. Collection drives, other than the regular collection process, are undertaken to clear the arrears.

Statement

Details of Outstanding Payments towards Airlift charges from Union Ministries/Departments—as on 29.3.1996

(Figures in Rs.)

Sl.No.	Ministry/ Department	Amount Outstanding
1.	Cabinet Secretariat	6,84,856.00
2	Civil Aviation & Tourism	16,61,580.00
3.	Communication	9,90,465.00
4.	Environment & Forests	4,33,692.00
5	Finance	27,260.00
6	Food	21,657.00
7	Health and Family Welfare	72,11,847.00
8.	Home Affairs	4,00,47,652.00
9	Human Resources Development	5,58,565.00
10	Information & Broadcasting	10,57,09,924.00
11.	Labour	35,000.00
12.	External Affairs	4,35,82,024.00
13.	Parliamentary Affairs	6,27,065.00
14	Planning Commission	64,35,903.00
15.	Prime Minister (unofficial use)	25,57,01,990.00
16.	Prime Minister's Office	60,42,237.00
17.	Power	9,40,208.00
18.	Railways	3,09,792.00
19.	Rural & Employment	23,69,585.00
20.	Surface Transport	20,76,453.00
21	Water Resources	5,52,419.00
	TOTAL	47,60,20,174.00

Allocation of Funds under Integrated Rural Development Programme and JRY

*8. SHRI MOHINDAR SINGH KALYAN: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the Central allocation of funds to the State Government under the Integrated Rural Development Programme and the Jawahar Rojgar Yojana during the last two years, State-wise;

(b) the funds actually utilised and unutilised by the State Governments, State-wise; and